

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 281

January Session, 2001

LCO No. 1954

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by: SEN. SULLIVAN, 5th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING VOTING TECHNOLOGY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of twenty million dollars be appropriated from the
- 2 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001, to the Secretary
- 3 of the State, for the purpose of providing grants to municipalities for
- 4 the acquisition of new voting technology, and that a bipartisan
- 5 commission shall report to the General Assembly by January 1, 2002,
- 6 on recommendations for the implementation of new voting
- 7 technology, training and public information.

Statement of Purpose:

To replace Connecticut's obsolete and no longer manufactured voting machines with a new, reliable and voter-friendly uniform voting system.